

METCS 248 HW#7

1) Fill in the following table so that $(\{x, y, z\}, *)$ forms a group.

*	x	y	z
x	x	y	z
y	y	z	x
z	z	x	y

Identify the identity element, and the inverses of x, y, and z.

Identity element = x
Inverse of x = x
y = z
z = y

2) Does $\{0000, 0010, 1101, 1111\}, +_2$ form a subgroup of $[B^4, +_2]$? If yes, find all the cosets. ($+_2$ represents addition modulo 2, $B^4 = B \times B \times B \times B$ where \times is the Cartesian product, and $B = \{0, 1\}$).

$$H = \{0000, 0010, 1101, 1111\}, +_2$$

$$G = [B^4, +_2]$$

	0000	0010	1101	1111
0000	0000	0010	1101	1111
0010	0010	0000	1111	1101
1101	1101	1111	0000	0010
1111	1111	1101	0010	0000

H is a subgroup of G.

$$\frac{|G|}{|H|} = 4 \quad \text{There exists 4 cosets.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} 0000 +_2 H &= \{0000, 0010, 1101, 1111\} \\ 0001 +_2 H &= \{0001, 0011, 1100, 1110\} \\ 0100 +_2 H &= \{0100, 0110, 1001, 1011\} \\ 0101 +_2 H &= \{0101, 0111, 1000, 1010\} \end{aligned}$$

3) Check if the following is a homomorphism or an isomorphism: $f: [B^3, +_2] \rightarrow [Z_4, +_4]$

And $f(x) = w(x)$, where $w(x)$ is the weight of x i.e. the number of ones (1's) in the binary number x. (e.g. if $x = 101$, then $w(x) = 2$), $Z_4 = \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$, $+_4$: addition modulo 4. ($1 +_4 2 = 3$, $3 +_4 3 = 2$...etc.)

Cardinality of B^3 is 8 and Z_4 is 4.
Therefore, no possibility of isomorphism.

Verification of homomorphism.

$$1) f(e_1) = e_2$$

$$f(000) = w(000) = 0$$

$$2) f(x +_2 y) = f(x) +_4 f(y)$$

$$f(000)$$

$$f(001 +_2 011) = f(010) = 1$$

$$f(001) +_4 f(011) = 1 +_4 2 = 3$$

$$f(001 +_2 011) \neq f(001) +_4 f(011)$$

Therefore, the given function is not homomorphism.

4) Let G be the set of all-nonzero real numbers and let $a * b = \frac{ab}{2}$. Show that $(G, *)$ is an abelian group.

1) Structure?

Yes, closure and unique.

2) Commutative?

$$\text{Yes. } a * b = \frac{ab}{2} = \frac{ba}{2} = b * a$$

3) Associative?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Yes. } (a * b) * c &= \frac{\frac{ab}{2} \cdot c}{2} = \frac{a \cdot \frac{bc}{2}}{2} \\ &= a * (b * c) \end{aligned}$$

4) Identity element?

$$a * e = a$$

$$\frac{ae}{2} = a \rightarrow e = 2$$

5) Inverse?

$$a * a^{-1} = e$$

$$\frac{a \cdot a^{-1}}{2} = e \rightarrow a^{-1} = \frac{4}{a}$$

6) Abelian Group?

Yes, since it is a commutative group.

5) Let $S = \{a, b, c\}$ and $T = \{x, y, z\}$, and let $[S, *]$ and $[T, \#]$ be defined as:

*	a	b	c
a	a	b	c
b	b	c	a
c	c	a	b

#	x	y	z
x	z	x	y
y	x	y	z
z	y	z	x

Can you find an isomorphism between $[S, *]$ and $[T, \#]$?

$$e_1 = a \quad e_2 = z$$

$$f_1: \begin{aligned} a &\rightarrow z \\ b &\rightarrow x \\ c &\rightarrow y \end{aligned}$$

$$f_2: \begin{aligned} a &\rightarrow x \\ b &\rightarrow z \\ c &\rightarrow y \end{aligned}$$

Isomorphism? Yes.

Surjective? Yes. Every element in T has a preimage.

Injective? Yes. No elements in S share images.

Bijjective? Yes.

6) Check if the following mappings form a homomorphism or an isomorphism from $[Z, +]$ to $[Z, +]$.

a) $f(x) = 5x$

Homomorphism? Yes.

$$f(x * z) = f(x) \# f(z)$$

$$f(x + z) = f(x + z) = 5(x + z)$$

$$f(x) \# f(z) = 5x + 5z = 5(x + z)$$

Isomorphism? No.

1 in the codomain has no preimage.

Hence, it's not surjective nor bijective.

b) $g(x) = x + 1$

Homomorphism? No.

$$f(x * z) \neq f(x) \# f(z)$$

$$f(x + z) = f(x + z) = x + z + 1$$

$$f(x) \# f(z) = x + 1 + z + 1$$

Isomorphism? Yes.

Surjective? Yes. Every element in the codomain has preimage.

Injective? Yes. No elements in the domain share the same image.

Bijjective? Yes.

7) Can you find an isomorphism from $[5Z, +]$ to $[12Z, +]$?

$$f(x) = \frac{12}{5}x$$

Isomorphism? Yes.

Surjective? Yes

Injective? Yes

Bijjective? Yes.